Patent claims

 A surveillance method with a wireless video telephone system,

in which a base station is connected to a communications network,

in which a video mobile part with a camera is used for surveillance, a currently recorded image being checked for changes and, in the event of a predetermined difference, an alarm being triggered and a surveillance center being dialed, and in which the alarm-triggering image is immediately transmitted from the mobile part to the base station, where it is stored at least until being output to the communications network.

2. The surveillance method as claimed in claim 1, in which the currently recorded image is checked in the video mobile part.

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- 3. The surveillance method as claimed in claim 1, in which the currently recorded image is checked in the base station.
- 25 4. The surveillance method as claimed in one of claims 1 to 3, in which the camera of the video mobile part has image recording sensors for the infrared range.

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